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Atty. Docket: WEDELL=1 In re Application of: Conf. No.: 8527 Gabriele WEDELL et al) Art Unit: 1797 I.A. Filing Date: 8/1/2003) Examiner: L. E. EDWARDS 371(c) Date: 1/27/2005) Washington, D.C. U.S. Appln. No.: 10/522,544) For: CELL CULTURE INSERT December 3, 2008)

REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendments 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed September 4, 2008, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.